

Our Guinea Prize.

We have pleasure in announcing that our Guinea Prize for September has been won by "Leo" secundus. This canine philanthropist now carries his father's barrel and collects funds for the General Hospital at Tunbridge Wells, so the prize will encourage him in well doing.

KEY TO PRIZE PUZZLES.

- No. 1. Cadbury's Cocoa.
C ADD berries cow cow.
- No. 2. Bryant and May's Safety Matches.
B. rye ant & maa safe tie mat cheese.
- No. 3. Allenbury's Diet.
Ale N burr ice die T.
- No. 4. Sanitas.
S, a knight, ass.

The following competitors have solved the puzzles correctly:—

- Miss Walker, Southport.
Miss Hope Dibben, Lynton.
Miss G. A. Hancock, Bath.
Miss H. Bacon, Houghton-le-Spring.
Miss A. May, Nottingham.
Miss C. A. Nutting, Wicklow.
Miss A. T. Lawson, Banff.
Miss E. M. Dickson, Rochester.
Miss M. C. Saunder, Stepney Causeway.
Miss M. Stringer, Hampstead.
Miss N. Bostock, Brighton.
Miss L. Carey, St. Heliers.
Miss F. Sheppard, Bexhill.
Miss J. Appleyard, Beaumont Street, W.
Miss C. Worthington, Douglas.
Miss T. Long, Bradford.
Miss E. Dinne, West Malling.
Miss L. Attree, Middlesbrough.
Miss P. A. Langton, Newport.
Miss J. S. Thomas, Leyton.
Miss K. Eckersley, Middlesbrough.
Miss M. Parry, Maida Vale.
Miss T. Coulson, London, W.
Miss S. J. Brown, Bagthorpe.
Miss M. E. Aldrick, Bagthorpe.
Miss M. Whitworth, Maidstone.
Miss A. Ellaby, Durham.
Miss C. O'Connor, Dublin.
Miss J. G. Powell, Woolwich.
Miss S. S. Sherring, Birmingham.
Miss V. Golding, Cheltenham.
Miss Jackson-Bennett, Edinburgh.
Miss L. M. Mostyn, Swansea.
Miss M. Collins, Paddington.
Miss M. H. Kebbell, Hull.
Miss V. R. Freestone, Great Thurlow.
Miss A. Bond, Norwich.
Miss C. M. James, Brighton.
Miss M. A. Taylor, Penge.
Miss F. M. Smith, Dorking.
Miss A. Dredge, Paddington.
Miss E. Mackenzie, Inverness.
Miss L. Sherlock, Eastbourne.
Miss B. Bryant, London, W.
Miss N. O. Potter, Kildare.
Nurse Eliza, Middlesbrough.
Miss McWilliams, Omagh.

The following competitors have solved three out of four puzzles, all failing over No. 4:—

Misses A. Jones, Dolgely; E. Wilson, Crowborough; A. Jefferson, Wigan; F. E. Buckingham, Ruthin; G. Watson, Bournemouth; C. Trueman, Southampton; H. Lord, Brook Green; H. Gilbert, Watford; C. Vincent, Belfast; E. Hatton, Forest Gate; H. Dockrill, London; E. T. B. Wright, Preston; Nurse Taylor, Southampton; A. R. Colhoun, Reigate; M. Cooke, East Malling; C. Wilson, London; T. Rose, Aberdeen; A. Donoghue, Cork; N. Smith, London; B. M. Allen, London; A. Cotton, Newcastle; Mrs. Hosie, London; Mrs. Shoemith, Durham; Mrs. Sheard, Chislehurst; Mrs. Leigh, Lymstone.

The new set of puzzles will be found on page viii. The rules remain the same.

The Irish Nurses' Association.

The Winter Session of the Irish Nurses' Association was opened on Wednesday at its official residence in Lower Leeson Street, Dublin. Miss Kelly, the Lady Superintendent of Dr. Steevens' Hospital, Dublin, a Vice-President of the Association, took the chair at 7 p.m., and gave a short address on the Progress of State Registration, which was followed by a most enjoyable social gathering.

The following lectures have already been arranged:—On October 24th, Dr. Jellet will speak on "Emergencies"; on November 8th, Dr. Kirkpatrick speaks on the "History of Vaccination," illustrated by limelight views; and on December 2nd, "Some Therapeutic Measures and their Methods of Administration" will be discussed by Dr. Peacocke.

On the last Friday and Saturday of each month during the winter the reading room will be open until 10 p.m. for informal social meetings of members and friends.

Bacteriology for Barts' League.

The League of St. Bartholomew's Hospital Nurses has arranged for a course of ten lectures on Bacteriology to be given fortnightly by Dr. F. W. Andrewes, beginning on Wednesday, October 18th next, at 5.45 p.m., at the hospital. Members of the League will be admitted free, and have the privilege of introducing one friend by obtaining a ticket beforehand, at a charge of one shilling for each lecture, from the Hon. General Secretary, Mrs. Matthews, Northern Hospital, Winchmore Hill, N. In these aseptic days it is indispensable that nurses should have a knowledge of the principles of Bacteriology, and as there are still many hospitals which do not supply any teaching on this most important subject to their probationers, we feel sure many will wish to avail themselves of this chance. Dr. F. W. Andrewes is the Lecturer on Pathology, Pathologist, and Sanitary Officer to St. Bartholomew's Hospital, London, and the author of "Lessons in Disinfection and Sterilisation" and of numerous scientific works.

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